GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINES
LOK SABHA

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CLOSURE OF IR N ORE MINES
Jogi Shri Ajit

Will the Minister of MINES be pleased to state:

(a) the details of iron-ore mines closed down during each of the last three years till date, State-wise;

(b) the reasons for discontinuing mining operations in the said mines;

(c) the details of the employees affected due to closure of these mines, State-wise;

(d) whether the Government proposes to provide alternate employment to the affected employees;

(e) if so, the details thereof; and

(f) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF MINES(SHRI SIS RAM OLA)

(a): As per available information no iron ore mine has been closed during the last three years after obtaining the certificate for final mine closure from IBM.

(b) to (f): Do not arise, in view of (a) above.